

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of decomposed substances. The articles were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 29, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20769. Adulteration of canned diced carrots and canned pimentos. U. S. v. 16 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35048. Sample Nos. 46786-L, 46789-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 20, 1953, Southern District of Mississippi.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 23 and March 28, 1951, from New Freedom, Pa., and Brownsville, Tex.

PRODUCT: 16 cases, each containing 48 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce cans, of diced carrots, and 26 cases, each containing 48 4-ounce cans, of pimentos, at Pascagoula, Miss.

Examination showed that the products had undergone chemical decomposition.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of decomposed substances. The articles were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: September 19, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20770. Misbranding of canned button mushrooms. U. S. v. 5 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35039. Sample No. 58223-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 12, 1953, Eastern District of Wisconsin.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 2, 1953, by Superior Canning Co., Inc., from Avondale, Pa.

PRODUCT: 5 cases, each containing 24 cans, of button mushrooms at Milwaukee, Wis.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Superior Brand Drained Weight 16 Ounces Pennsylvania Cultivated Mushrooms Fancy Buttons."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label designation "Mushrooms Fancy Buttons" and the vignette on the label depicting fancy button mushrooms were false and misleading as applied to button mushrooms which were not fancy because of excessive blemished units and excessive open veil units; and, Section 403 (e) (2), the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents. (Examination showed that the product was short in drained weight.)

DISPOSITION: September 30, 1953. Default decree of condemnation. On October 16, 1953, the court ordered that the product be delivered to a Federal hospital, for consumption by the patients.

20771. Adulteration of olives. U. S. v. 51 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35474. Sample Nos. 55898-L, 55899-L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 4, 1953, Western District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 8, 1953, by the South Shore Sales Co., from Vermilion, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 51 cartons, each containing 12 21-ounce jars, and 72 cartons, each containing 12 13-ounce jars, of olives at New Castle, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: (Jar) "Spanish Girl Olives For Salads."